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REPORT

OF THE

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

COUNTY TREASURER

AND OTHER

OFFICERS OF CHESHIRE COUNTY

For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1963

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COUNTY OFFICERS

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REGISTER OF DEEDS

D. REED CHAPLIN	Keene

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WALTER H. LACEY, M.D.	Keene

COUNTY PHYSICIAN

JAMES O. S. MURRAY, JR., M.D.	Keene

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ROYAL McGIRR	Westmoreland

MATRON

MARGARET McGIRR	Westmoreland

PHYSICIAN AT MAPLEWOOD HOSPITAL

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MEMBERS OF
CHESHIRE COUNTY DELEGATION

RALPH W. TOTMAN	Alstead
JAMES E. O'NEIL	Chesterfield
BELLE F. GOWING	Dublin
WILLIAM J. WATKINSON	Fitzwilliam
ARTHUR F. TURNER	Gilsum
CLIFFORD D. STEARNS	Hinsdale
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RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS	Jaffrey
JEREMIAH J. KEATING	Ward 1, Keene
FREDERICK L. PRATT	Ward 1, Keene
JOHN D. SHEA	Ward 1, Keene
STEPHEN W. POLLOCK, SR.	Ward 2, Keene
ROBERTA T. SHEA	Ward 2, Keene
OVILA J. BELLETETE	Ward 3, Keene
CLEON E. HEALD	Ward 3, Keene
FRANK J. BENNETT	Ward 4, Keene
ELLEN FAULKNER	Ward 4, Keene
LAURENCE M. PICKETT	Ward 5, Keene
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LOUIS S. BALLAM	Walpole
HARLEY W. SMITH	Walpole
GEORGE S. WILDEY	Westmoreland
JOHN B. SAWYER	Winchester

DELEGATES TO THE COUNTY CONVENTION

CASPER C. BEMIS JR.	Harrisville
NEIL TOLMAN	Nelson
WILLIAM YARDLEY	Roxbury
WILLIAM F. LANE	Stoddard
HARVEY W. SWETT	Sullivan
A. HAROLD KENDALL	Surry

CHESHIRE COUNTY DELEGATION

January 9, 1963

Cheshire County Delegation Organization Meeting

The meeting was held in Concord with 34 of 36 members present in Room 304, State House at 2:30 p.m.

Nominations for chairman were James F. Allen, Rindge and Margaret A. Russell, Keene, Tellers were appointed to count the vote (Laurence M. Pickette, Keene and Wallace B. Oliver, Marlborough) Russell received 8 and Allen received 23 and declared Chairman.

John D. Shea, Keene was elected Vice-Chairman by one vote cast by the clerk as instructed by the delegation.

The clerk was instructed to cast one vote for Raymond J. Desmarais, Jaffrey for Clerk and Desmarais was so elected.

The following were elected for the executive committee—

JACOB M. HACKLER—Swanzey
ARTHUR F. TURNER—Gilsum
CLEON E. HEALD—Keene
LAURENCE M. PICKETT—Keene
LOUIS S. BALLAM—Walpole

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,
Clerk

January 19, 1963

Notice of meeting sent to all committee members on the committee appointed February 17, 1962 "to investigate the need of a New House of Correction and jail, or improve the existing present House of Correction and jail."

Meeting called to order.

Roll call—present Louis S. Ballam, George S. Wildey, James E. O'Neil, James F. Allen.

Motion to accept report of Forrest Frost was adopted:

Motion that this recommendation to appoint a new committee to complete study was adopted.

Quorum was present. Adjourned 3:45 p.m.

(signed) JAMES F. ALLEN,
Chairman

February 9, 1963

A special meeting of the Executive Committee was held at the Court House for the purpose of discussing the 1963 Budget.

Each item in the budget was thoroughly discussed in the presence of the County Commissioners.

In executive session, the Committee decided that the budget should be cut. It was decided that a revised statement of income and expense would be submitted to the delegation on Saturday, February 16th.

The Executive Committee also voted that the County Bookkeeping System should be revised and simplified.

Members present—Hackler, Allen, Desmarais, Turner, Ballam, Heald and Pickett also Commissioners Barker, Pierce and Savage.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

CLerk

A True Copy, Attest,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

February 16, 1963

The annual meeting of the Cheshire County Delegation was held at the County Farm on this date. The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by Chairman Allen. The following members were present: Totman, O'Neil, Watkinson, Turner, Stearns, Cournoyer, Desmarais, Keating, Pratt, John D. Shea, Belletete, Heald, Frank J. Bennett, Faulkner, Pickett, Russell, Oliver, Jennie B. Bennett, Roberta T. Shea, Pollock, Allen, Bouvier, Abare, Hackler, Ballam, Smith, Sawyer, Bemis, Jr., Yardley, Lane, Swett, and Kendall.

The following communications were read by the clerk and made part of meeting records.

Mr. Totman resolved that County Reports be mailed out from a week to 10 days prior to the delegation meeting.

It was moved and seconded that the Executive Committee be given a vote of thanks, and the motion was unanimously adopted.

It was moved and seconded that the bookkeeping system of the county be improved and set up anew. This motion was also unanimously adopted.

The following resolution was offered by Mrs. Ellen Faulkner and unanimously adopted—Be it resolved that the Cheshire County Convention go on record as wishing to express to the Commissioner of Public Works and Highways, Commissioner John O. Morton, and to the Maintenance Crews of Route No. 9 between Keene and Concord their appreciation of the excellent way this road has been kept ploughed and sanded during these months of heavy snows. We take pride in the safety of our New Hampshire highways and are grateful that the hazards of our winter trips to Concord are kept to a minimum by the conscientious and strenuous efforts of the maintenance crews.

We ask that the Commissioner kindly transmit this resolution to the crews concerned.

The Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

A True Copy, Attest; RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS

BUDGET FOR CHESHIRE COUNTY
1963

The budget was thoroughly discussed item by item and appropriations made as follows:

	Budget voted for 1963
Salaries:	
Commissioners	$6,000 00
Treasurer	400 00
Auditors	200 00
County Attorney	3,000 00
Medical Referee	1,000 00
Sheriff	1,500 00
Expenses of:	
Commissioners	9,500 00
County Attorney	1,000 00
Register of Deeds	3,740 00
Deeds-Rebinding Books	500 00
Register of Probate	1,800 00
Sheriff Department	6,310 00
Care and supplies—Court House	12,500 00
Superior Court	52,000 00
Welfare:	
County Farm	180,000 00
Board of Prisoners	2,500 00
Direct Relief	8,000 00
Surplus Commodities	5,000 00
Board and Care of Children	35,000 00
Aid to Dependent Soldiers	7,000 00
Old Age Assistance	15,000 00
Aid to Totally Disabled	2,500 00
Welfare Administration	5,500 00
New Construction and Equipment:	
County Farm, new equipment	4,700 00
Country Farm, repairs	8,500 00
Other Payments:	
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,750 00
Interest and Payment on Bond	24,715 00
State Retirement	800 00
Blue Cross	775 00
Social Security	8,500 00
County Extension Service	18,340 00
Elliot Community Hospital	3,000 00
Delegation Expense	500 00

Armory Insurance	450 00
Miscellaneous	800 00
Mutual Aid Center	24,000 00
	$456,780 00
Sources of Revenue:	
Income from County Farm	$110,000 00
Reimbursement for Welfare	3,000 00
Social Security Payments	1,500 00
Income from Mutual Aid	610 00
Bond Payment and Interest	24,715 00
	$139,825 00
Amount to be transferred from cash on hand December 31, 1962	$65,500 00
Net Amount to be Raised	$251,455 00

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

Executive Session of Cheshire County Delegation Feb. 27, 1963

The Executive Committee met in Representative Hall, Concord and voted for the following recommendations pertaining to the Cheshire County Commissioners' Reports.

1. Annual County Report to be in the hands of the members of the Executive Committee before the Executive Committees' first Budget meeting.

2. Bookkeeping proceedures to be revised to allow for better control and available information—

A. Separate accounts for each department showing appropriations and expenses.

B. Unpaid bills of previous fiscal year to be itemized and charged to previous year appropriations.

C. County borrowing:

County Bonds should be guaranteed by the State of New Hampshire to obtain lower interest rates, or if impossible through the State on a bid basis to secure the most favorable interest rates available.

D. Purchasing of supplies, equipment, insurance and other contracts to be on a Bid basis or if this is not advantageous price wise, or for a particular item to be allocated among recognized dealers or business concerns within the county.

E. Any accumulated surplus over $25,000.00 shall be applied to reduce the requested new budget.

F. Setup a capitalization and depreciation account to show net worth and stabilize budget.

3. Engage the services of the State or a qualified accountant, residing within the County, to assist the Commissioners in setting up the necessary changes in the Bookkeeping System now in use.

4. A break down of Social Security Taxes received and paid out by the county should be given the Executive Committee along with a break down of the Expenses of the Commissioners.

Committee members present—Turner, Desmarais, Heald, Pickett, Allen, Hackler and Ballam.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

Chshire County Executive Committee Meeting March 7, 1963

The Committee met for the purpose of the following motion: "It was voted to authorize the County Commissioners of Cheshire County to borrow money in anticipation of taxes in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($150,000.00)."

The following Committee members were present—Hackler, Allen, Turner, Heald, Ballam and Desmarais. Pickett was not present but recorded in favor of the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

A True Copy, Attest: RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS

April 26, 1963

A special meeting of the House of Correction Committee was held at the County Farm to hear Mr. Anderson, Director, of The Federal Prison Bureau for New England.

Mr. Anderson stated that the House of Correction at the County Farm was in need of much improvement and that it would be a waste of money to spend any more than necessary to maintin the present jail. A new detention center should be built and that the committee should get in touch with the Army Corp of Engineers for the possible location of a new jail.

Members present were—Totman, Watkinson, Hackler, Wildey, Pollock, Pickett, Allen, Desmarais and also the Commissioners-Barker, Pierce and Savage.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

May 22, 1963

The Executive Committee met at the State House in Room 100 at 1:00 p.m.

Commissioners Pierce, Barker and Savage were present along with the following members of the committee: Hackler, Ballam, Turner, Allen, and Desmarais. Pickett and Heald were not present but recorded themselves in favor of the business transacted.

Mr. Ballam moved that the County Commissioners be authorized to expend an amount not exceeding $2,000.00 for the purpose of installing a submersible pump for the artesian well at the County Farm. The motion was seconded, discussed, and unanimously passed.

Mr. Turned moved that the salary of Mr. Callahan of the Mutual Aid Center be raised to the rate of $6,000.00 annually effective January 1, 1963. The motion was seconded, discussed, and passed by a unanimous vote.

The meeting adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

June 21, 1963

The special committee for the relocation of the County Farm met today with two members of the Army Corp. of Engineers for the purpose of discussing methods of preventing flood dangers to the county properties. The meeting commenced at 10:00 a.m. and was adjourned at 2:00 p.m. The following members were present Wildey, Totman, Allen, Watkinson, Desmarais, and the Commissioners Barker, Pierce and Savage.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,

Clerk

CHESHIRE COUNTY DELEGATION MEETING

August 21, 1963

The meeting was called to order by Rep. Ralph W. Totman in the absence of Chairman James F. Allen.

Chairman Totman read a letter dated July 10th from the Selectmen of the Town of Westmoreland and addressed to the County Commissioners; being attached thereto was a petition signed by the citizens of the Town of Westmoreland.

Mr. Totman reported that Sup't. McGirr and the Commissioners met on the 11th of July to discuss the petition. On July 22, Chairman Allen wrote the Commissioners and requested that a Special Delegation meeting be held to discuss the House of Correction situation.

At the meeting between the Selectmen of Westmoreland and the county officials an alarm system consisting of whistles and telephone calls was set up to warn the citizens of Westmoreland of any escapes. The citizens would notify the authorities if they saw any strangers after an alarm had been given.

Westmoreland Selectmen feel that the county officials have done all that can be done at this time.

After discussion of the break at Westmoreland of the shooting of a woman the delegation also feel that the Commissioners had done all that could be done at the time.

A motion was made, seconded and discussed. "To table consideration of a new county jail until the Delegation's Annual Meeting in February, when the Jail Committee would have its' final report." The motion was passed by a 14 to 1 vote.

The following motion was passed unanimously. "It is the sense of the Cheshire County Delegation that all prisoners held for Superior Court be placed in a maximum security jail."

The following members of the Delegation were present. Ralph Totman, Casper Bemis, Jr., Raymond Desmarais, John Shea, Cleon Heald, Jennie Bennett, Jacob Hackler, Louis Ballam, Roxie Forbes, William Watkinson, Wilfred Cournoyer, Clifford Stearns, Stephen Pollock, Sr., Frank Bennett, Harvey Swett, A. Harold Kendall, George Wildey, Belle F. Gowing, Arthur Turner, Frederick Pratt, Roberta Shea, Margaret Russell, William Lane, Harley Smith, John Sawyer.

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,
Clerk, Cheshire County Delegation

A True Copy, Attest: RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS

SPECIAL MEETING, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

December 19, 1963

The Executive Committee of the Cheshire County Delegation met at the Court House at 2 p.m. to entertain the following motions.

Be it Resolved, Whereas, It now appears that there is a deficiency of $10,000.00 expended over and above anticipated expenditures and whereas it is further anticipated that there will be certain unexpended funds in several departments of the county functions, be it hereby resolved by the Executive Committee being in session on the 19th December 1963 that the County Commissioners be authorized to pay such outstanding accounts as may exist in these departments holding such unexpended funds that may exist at the end of the calendar year which shall be applied on the anticipated deficit as aforementioned.

Also voted that the County Commissioners be authorized to borrow such sums of money as necessary in anticipation of taxes.

Both of the aforementioned motions were unanimously approved.

Present were Hackler, Ballam, Heald, Pickett, Allen, Desmarais and the County Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS,
Clerk

A True Copy, Attest: RAYMOND J. DESMARAIS

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Board of County Commissioners October 1, 1963
Cheshire County
Keene, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 27, of the Revised Statutes Annotated, the biennial examination and audit of the accounts of Cheshire County for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1961 and December 31, 1962, has been made by this Division. Submitted herewith is the report of this audit including Exhibits as hereafter listed. A statement of Indebtedness, Valuaton and Taxes covering a ten year period, is presented in Table I.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of County Commissioners, County Treasurer, Clerk of the Superior Court and Superintendent of the County Farm.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Comparative Balance Sheets: December 31, 1960—December 31, 1961: (Exhibit A)

Comparative Balance Sheets for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1960 and December 31, 1961, are presented in Exhibit A. As indicated therein the Net Debt decreased by $18,010.01 in 1961 and $22,692.37 in 1962.

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition:

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961: (Exhibit B-1)

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962: (Exhibit B-2)

Statements presenting an analysis of the factors which caused the change in financial condition of the County during the fiscal years ended December 31, 1961 and December 31, 1962, are included in Exhibits B-1 and B-2, respectively.

The decrease in Net Debt during the year 1961 amounted to $18,010.01. The factors which caused this were as follows:

Decrease in Net Debt

Bonds Matured and Paid	$20,000 00	
Net Budget Surplus	4,736 41	
Increase in Accounts Receivable	5,532 97	
		$30,269 38

Increase in Net Debt

Cash Surplus Used to Reduce County Tax	$10,420 81	
Increase in Accounts Payable	1,838 56	
		12,259 37
Net Decrease		$18,010 01

During the year 1962 the Net Debt decreased by $22,692.37. The contributing factors were as follows:

Decrease in Net Debt

Bonds Matured and Paid	$20,000 00	
Net Budget Surplus	17,762 56	
		$37,762 56

Increase in Net Debt

Increase in Accounts Payable	$10,959 01	
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	4,111 18	
		15,070 19
Net Decrease		$22,692 37

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures —Estimated and Actual Revenues:

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961 (Exhibit C-1 and D-1)

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962 (Exhibit C-2 and D-2)

In the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961, a revenue surplus of $21,026.08, less a net overdraft of appropriations of $16,289.67, resulted in a net budget surplus of $4,736.41.

A revenue surplus of $31,544.78, less a net overdraft of appropriations of $13,782.22, resulted in a net budget surplus of $17,762.56 in the fiscal year ended December 31, 1962.

Summary Statements of Receipts and Expenditures:

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961 (Exhibit E-1)

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962 (Exhibit E-2)

Summary statements of the receipts and expenditures of the County, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1961 and December 31, 1962, are presented in Exhibits E-1 and E-2, respectively.

Special Bond Fund Account: (Exhibit G-1 & G-2)

Statements indicating the activity in the Special Bond Fund Account for the fiscal years of 1961 and 1962, are presented in Exhibits G-1 and G-2.

Capital Reserve Fund: (Exhibit H-1 and H-2)

The status of the Capital Reserve Fund, as of December 31, 1961 and December 31, 1962, is shown in Exhibits H-1 and H-2.

Statement of Bonded Debt: (Exhibit L-2)

A statement of outstanding bonded indebtedness as of December 31, 1962, showing annual debt service requirements, is contained in Exhibit L-2.

ACCOUNTS OF COMMISSIONERS AND TREASURER

All orders issued by the Commissioners and Clerk of the Superior Court during the periods under review were examined and compared with the Treasurer's records. Supporting

invoices and payrolls were also examined and the classification of expenditures noted. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1961 and December 31, 1962, is shown in Exhibit F-1 and F-2, respectively.

CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

The financial accounts and records of the Clerk of Court of Cheshire County were examined. Court receipts were checked by source, insofar as possible, and found to be properly recorded. Court orders issued by the Clerk were supported by invoices, vouchers and payrolls bearing the approval of a Superior Court Justice.

COUNTY FARM

The accounts and records of the Superintendent of the County Farm were examined. Receipts of the County Farm were checked by source through the triplicate receipt forms, All receipts, as recorded in the cash book, were properly accounted for by the Superintendent through remittances to the County Treasurer.

Classified summary statements of the receipts and expenditures of the County Institutions for the years 1961 and 1962 are presented in Exhibits I-1 and I-2.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Current Surplus:

It is noted that the current surplus (excess of total assets over current liabilities) decreased from $75,094.22 to $73,104.23 in 1961, and increased to $75,796.60 in 1962, as shown herewith:

	Dec. 31, 1960	Dec. 31, 1961	Dec. 31, 1962
Total Assets	$214,065 93	$188,195 12	$180,196 85
Current Liabilities	138,971 71	115,090 89	104,400 25
Current Surplus	$ 75,094,22	$ 73,104 23	$ 75,796 60

Overdraft of Appropriations and Application of R.S.A. Chapter 24—Section 15: (Fiscal Year of 1961)

As indicated by Exhibit C-1, Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures, in the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961, there was a net overdraft of appropriations amounting to $16,289.67. Included therein however, was an overdraft in the Superior Court appropriation of $11,385.65, leaving a net overdraft of budgetary appropriations over which the Commissioners have jurisdiction in the amount of $4,904.02, as shown herewith:

Overdrafts of Appropriations	$27,788 82
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	11,499 15
	$16,289 67
Less:	
Overdraft in Superior Court Appropriation	11,385 65
Net Overdraft of Budgetary Appropriations over which Commissioners have Jurisdiction	$4,904 02

In accordance with the provisions of R.S.A., Chapter 24, Section 15 the records indicate that the Executive Committee of the Legislative Delegation, at a meeting held on September 11, 1961, authorized the expenditure of sums in excess of budgetary appropriations.

(Fiscal Year of 1962)

In the fiscal year ended December 31, 1962, there was a net overdraft of budgetary appropriations amounting to $13,-782.22, as indicated herewith:

Overdrafts of Appropriations	$34,039 51
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	20,257 29
Net Overdraft of Appropriations	$13,782 22

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the County Delegation held on June 30, 1962, the Commissioners were authorized to make expenditures of $29,000.00 in excess of budgetary appropriations for the installation of new boilers at the County Farm.

Conclusion:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 184 of the Laws of 1955, a copy of this report or a summary of its findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) should be sublished in the next annual report of the County. This letter of transmittal should be included in its entirety, but the publication of Exhibits is optional.

The appreciation and thanks of this Division is hereby expressed to the officials of Cheshire County and their office staffs for the assistance rendered during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER,
Director

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Hugh J. Cassidy, Auditor
Charles T. Carroll)
George L. Russell) Accountants

REPORT OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of Cheshire County:

In keeping with the statutes of the State of New Hampshirt, the Commissioners present their annual report for the year 1963.

It has been a very busy year for the Commissioners' Office. There have been a great many more relief cases during the summer months than in any summer season for a long time.

There has been a lot more relief to Dependent Soldiers than there used to be as most of the younger men today are veterans.

We have had between sixty and seventy children on Board and Care during the year, which is an unusually large number.

The Superintendent and Matron, Mr. and Mrs. McGirr, are still doing a very excellent job at the County Home. Mr. McGirr is continuously making improvements of the buildings and institution in general. Mrs. McGirr seems to always be finding something better to add to the welfare and comfort of the patients which is, of course, greatly appreciated by the Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD O. PIERCE
HAROLD E. SAVAGE
SHELDON L. BARKER
County Commissioners

In Memoriam

DAYTON L. PARK

For his service as County Commissioner

From December 13, 1943 to December 31, 1958

Deceased November 24, 1962

FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 13, 1963

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on hand		$5,071 18
Capital Reserve fund		26,041 32
Balance of bond fund cash		775 85
Bond funds invested in Treasury bills		28,468 43
Accounts due the County:		
(a) County Farm receipts including board and care	$10,645 90	
(b) Petty cash at County Farm	200 00	
(c) Welfare funds	557 36	
(d) Balance of Hinsdale Tax	1,000 00	
		12,403 26
		$72,760 04

Liabilities

Accounts owed by the County		
County Farm bills	$6,106 36	
Board and care of children	2,832 24	
Social security	3,137 86	
Welfare bills	12,415 20	
		24,491 66
Outstanding Bonds		185,000 00
Reserve funds:		
Capital Reserve		26,041 32
Unexpended Bond fund		29,244 28
Fund held over for Court furnishings		1,750 00
Fund held over for rebinding Deeds books		500 00
Total liabilities and reserve funds		$267,027 26
Excess of liabilities over assets		194,267 22

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Receipts

Current Revenue:	
Taxes from towns and city	$250,955 00
Income from County Farm and hospital	117,372 76

Reimbursement for support of poor	88 61	
Reimbursement for board and care of children	3,883 86	
Refunds on old age assistance	1,699 74	
		$373,999 97
Other receipts:		
Temporary loans during year	125,000 00	
Social Security payments	1,223 06	
From Bond account for payments	24,715 00	
Surry Flood land rental	173 08	
Mutual Aid Center payments	809 04	
Insurance refunds, etc, Court House	54 14	
Forfeit of bail, Court	300 00	
		$152,274 32
Total receipts from all sources		$526,274 29
Cash on hand at beginning of year		91,158 53
		$617,432 82

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
1. Salaries of		
(a) Commissioners	$6,001 68	
(b) Treasurer	399 50	
(c) Auditors	200 00	
(d) Medical Referee	1,306 71	
(e) County Attorney	2,996 25	
(f) Sheriff	1,500 00	
		$12,404 14
2. Expenses of		
(a) Commissioners	9,693 91	
(b) Co. Attorney	872 62	
(c) Register of Deeds	3,041 15	
(d) Register of Probate	1,558 67	
(e) Sheriff Department	6,078 70	
		21,245 05
3. Care and supplies, Court House		12,565 07

Superior Court:			
4.	Jury Payrolls	13,770 83	
5.	State vs. Payrolls	11,119 38	
6.	Referees and Masters	405 00	
7.	Counsel fees	1,942 62	
8.	Stenographers, supplies, etc.	8,842 73	
9.	Clerk of Superior Court	10,184 58	
10.	Sheriff and Deputies	5,642 14	
			51,907 28
Public Welfare:			
11.	County Farm	191,426 75	
12.	Board of Prisoners	2,823 16	
13.	Direct Relief	8,978 33	
14.	Surplus Commodities	4,237 55	
15.	Board and care of children	34,297 33	
16.	Aid to Dependent Soldiers	9,443 52	
17.	Old Age Assistance	20,567 64	
18.	Aid to Totally Disabled	2,175 25	
19.	Welfare Visitor	5,297 23	
			279,246 76
Total current maintenance expenses			$377,368 30
All other expenses:			
20.	Interest on temporary notes		718 99
21.	Interest and payment on Bond		24,715 00
22.	County Farm, new equipment		2,866 07
23.	County Farm, new boilers		4,442 32
24.	County Farm, two wells		11,488 29
25.	County Farm, repairs		7,455 64
26.	Payment of temporary loans		125,000 00
27.	Cooperative Extension Service		18,340 00
28.	Employees' retirement		772 35
29.	Employees' Social Security		8,149 56
30.	Employees' Blue Cross		811 14
31.	Delegation Expense		613 23
32.	Elliot Community Hospital		3,000 00

33.	Armory insurance, etc.		684 02
34.	Surry Flood lands		173 08
35.	Mutual Aid System		24,591 54
36.	Miscellaneous, County reports		
	State Audit	496 52	
	Treas. bond	111 00	
	Hearings	129 75	
			1,172 11
Total payments for all purposes			$612,361 64
Cash on hand at end of year			5,071 18
			$617,432 82

SCHEDULE OF COUNTY PROPERTY

Description:

Land and Buildings:		Value
(a)	Court House, lot and furnishings	$200,000 00
(b)	County Farm buildings and land	500,000 00
(c)	Wood lot	300 00
(d)	Armory, Washington Street	60,000 00
		$760,300 00

RECAPITULATION FOR 1962 AND 1963

	1962	1963
Salaries	$11,087 89	$11,097 43
Medical Referee	777 11	1,306 71
Register of Deeds	3,474 56	3,041 15
Consolidating Indexes	2,970 17	
Register of Probate	1,252 07	1,558 67
Expense of County Commissioners	9,140 66	9,693 91
Expense of County Attorney	845 50	872 62
Sheriff Department	5,921 38	6,078 70
Sheriff Dept. New Radios	527 15	
Care and Supplies, Court House	13,575 86	12,565 07
Superior Court	49,640 44	51,907 28
County Farm	179,532 33	191,426 75
Board of Prisoners	1,916 55	2,823 16
Direct Relief	6,277 12	8,978 33
Board and care of Children	33,078 97	34,297 33
Aid to dependent Soldiers	5,900 25	9,443 52
Old Age Assistance	12,300 77	20,567 64
Aid to Totally Disabled	1,711 08	2,175 25
Welfare Administration	4,937 80	5,297 23
County Extension Service	19,296 00	18,340 00
Elliot Community Hospital	3,000 00	3,000 00
Repairs and new equipment, Co. Farm	10,638 93	21,810 00
New boilers; County Farm	22,889 00	4,442 32
Rebinding old books, Deeds	500 00	
Employees' Retirement	848 98	772 35
Social Security	6,957 19	8,149 56
Blue Cross	768 43	811 14
Notes and Interest	100,843 75	125,718 99
Surry Flood Land rental	484 28	173 08
Mutual Aid Center	10,428 48	24,591 54
Delegation expense	484 20	613 23
Payment and interest on bonds	25,175 00	24,715 00
Armory insurance	437 50	684 02
Surplus Commodities	4,684 19	4,237 55
Miscellaneous	483 83	1,172 11
	$552,787 41	$612,361 64

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft	Receipts
County officers salaries					
Commissioners	$6,000 00	$6,001 68		$1 68	
Treasurer	400 00	399 50	$ 50		
Auditors	200 00	200 00			
Co. Attorney	3,000 00	2,996 25	3 75	306 71	
Medical Referee	1,000 00	1,306 71			
Sheriff	1,500 00	1,500 00			
County Commissioners' expenses	9,500 00	9,693 91		193 91	
Register of Deeds	3,740 00	3,041 15	698 85		
Rebinding old books, Deeds	500 00		500 00		
Register of Probate	1,800 00	1,558 67	241 33		
Co. Attorney expenses	1,000 00	872 62	127 38		
Sheriff Department	6,310 00	6,078 70	231 30		
Care of supplies, Court House	12,500 00	12,565 07		65 07	$51 12
Superior Court	52,000 00	51,907 28	92 72		300 00
County Farm	180,000 00	191,426 75		11,426 75	117,372 76
Board of prisoners	2,500 00	2,823 16		323 16	
Direct relief	8,000 00	8,978 33		978 33	39 61
Surplus Commodities	5,000 00	4,237 55	762 45		
Board and care of children	35,000 00	34,297 33	702 67		3,883 86
Aid to dependent soldiers	7,000 00	9,443 52		2,443 52	49 00
Old age assistance	15,000 00	20,567 64		5,567 64	1,699 74
Aid to totally disabled	2,500 00	2,175 25	324 75		
Welfare visitor, salary and exp.	5,500 00	5,297 23	202 77		

Interest on temporary loans	1,750 00	718 99	1,031 01		
Bond payment	24,715 00	24,715 00			
County Farm, New equipment	4,700 00	2,866 07	1,833 93		
Special repairs	8,500 00	7,455 64	1,044 36		
Mutual Aid Center	24,000 00	24,591 54		591 54	809 04
County Extension Service	18,340 00	18,340 00			
Employees Retirement	800 00	772 35	27 65		
Employees Social Security	8,500 00	8,149 56	350 44		1,223 06
Employees Blue Cross	775 00	811 14		36 14	3 02
Elliot Community Hospital	3,000 00	3,000 00			
County Delegation	500 00	613 23		113 23	
Armory Insurance	450 00	684 02		234 02	
Miscellaneous	800 00	1,172 11		372 11	
	$456,780 00	$471,257 95	$8,175 86	$22,653 81	$125,431 21

There was no appropriation for new boilers $4,442.32 and two wells $11,488.29 but expenditures for these emergencies were approved by the Executive Committee.

PUBLIC WELFARE

Direct Relief

Keene	$3,759 91	
Chesterfield	44 99	
Fitzwilliam	1,553 03	
Hinsdale	127 74	
Marlow	10 00	
Marlboro	95 32	
Richmond	90 55	
Rindge	6 00	
Stoddard	1,190 17	
Swanzey	710 97	
Sullivan	22 23	
Troy	918 72	
Walpole	448 70	
		$8,978 33

Aid to Dependent Soldiers

Jaffrey	$539 79	
Gilsum	16 90	
Hinsdale	80 88	
Stoddard	103 56	
Swanzey	59 35	
Troy	342 94	
Winchester	215 45	
Keene	8,072 65	
		$9,431 52

RELIEF EXTENDED TO COUNTY CHARGES

January 1, 1963 to January 1, 1964

	Regular Relief	Dependent Soldiers	Board & Care of Children
January	$1,542 71	$901 33	$2,308 21
February	837 43	618 45	2,503 36
March	455 40	1,074 75	2,567 70
April	1,461 20	949 63	2,504 27
May	665 55	606 36	3,236 23
June	469 61	248 94	3,291 70
July	659 37	371 23	3,386 64
August	677 45	382 70	3,153 80
September	585 29	751 99	3,037 64
October	606 67	1,267 84	3,091 89
November	465 98	1,173 50	2,579 62
December	1,489 47	2,440 86	2,875 13
	$9,916 13	$10,787 58	$34,536 19

REPORT OF TREASURER OF CHESHIRE COUNTY

To the Board of Commissioners for the County of Cheshire:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit the report of the Treasurer of the County of Cheshire for the year ending December 31, 1963.

RECEIPTS

Taxes from Towns and City of Keene:

		Amount of Tax
Alstead		$4,282 28
Chesterfield		9,203 25
Dublin		8,169 77
Fitzwilliam		5,818 67
Gilsum		1,013 36
Harrisville		4,372 80
Hinsdale		10,775 24
Jaffrey		19,538 05
Keene		108,573 24
Marlborough		5,778 44
Marlow		1,254 76
Nelson		2,884 19
Richmond		1,141 61
Rindge		10,701 93
Roxbury		706 59
Stoddard		3,140 67
Sullivan		1,129 03
Surry		1,586 68
Swanzey		14,292 70
Troy		7,475 76
Walpole		14,795 61
Westmoreland		3,495 23
Winchester		10,825 14
		$250,955 00
Income from Institution:		
County Farm and Hospital	$117,372 76	
Reimbursements for board and care of children, etc.	5,672 21	
		$123,044 97
		$373,999 97

Other receipts:		
Temporary loans	$125,000 00	
Social Security payments	1,223 06	
Bond Account	24,715 00	
Surry Flood land	173 08	
Miscellaneous receipts	1,163 18	
		$152,274 32
Total receipts from all sources		$526,274 29
Cash on hand at beginning of year		91,158 53
		$617,432 82

DISBURSEMENTS

General government	$46,214 26	
Superior Court	51,907 28	
Board of prisoners	2,823 16	
County Farm	191,426 75	
Old Age Assistance	20,567 64	
Board and care of children	34,297 33	
Other charitable expenses	30,131 88	
County Extension Service	18,340 00	
Temporary notes and interest	125,718 99	
Bond payment and interest	24,715 00	
Equipment and repairs, County Farm	26,252 32	
Miscellaneous expense	15,375 49	
Mutual Aid System	24,591 54	
		$612,361 64
Cash on hand at end of year		$5,071 18

SPECIAL BOND ACCOUNT

Receipts:		
Cash on hand January 1, 1963	$1,175 12	
Proceeds from Investments in U.S. Treasury Bills		
April 26, 1963	52,000 00	
October 29, 1963	52,000 00	
		$105,175 12

Disbursements:			
Investments in U.S. Treasury Bills			
April 26, 1963		$51,215 84	
October 29, 1963		28,468 43	
			79,684 27
Transferred to County Treasury for payment and interest on bond issue			24,715 00
Total disbursements			$104,399 27
Balance December 31, 1963			775 85
Cash on hand January 1, 1963		$1,175 12	
U.S. Treausy Bills owned January 1, 1963			
Par value $52,000.00 cost		51,256 40	
Income from U.S. Treasury Bills			
April 26, 1963	$784 16		
October 29, 1963	743 60		
		1,527 76	
			53,959 28
Payments on Bond			24,715 00
Balance in Bond Account December 31, 1963			$29,244 28
Made up as follows:			
Cash on hand December 31, 1963			775 85
U.S. Treasury bills, par value $23,000.00 cost			28,468 43
			$29,244 28

REPORT OF CAPITAL RESERVE

January 1, 1963	In Cheshire County Savings Bank	$12,849 69
	In Keene Savings Bank	12,049 51
		$24,899 20
1963	Interest Cheshire Co. Savings Bank	654 11
	Interest Keene Savings Bank	488 01

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH V. TISDALE,
Treasurer

COUNTY AUDITORS REPORT

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1963

COUNTY TREASURER'S ACCOUNT

Balance on hand—January 1, 1963	$91,158 53	
Receipts—Year ending Dec. 31, 1963	526,274 29	
	$617,432 82	
Payments—Year ending Dec. 31, 1963	612,361 64	
Balance—Dec. 31, 1963—As Per Cash Book		$5,071 18
Balance in Keene Nat'l. Bank As Per Statement of Dec. 31, 1963	$14,668 44	
Less: Outstanding Orders	9,597 26	
Reconciled Bank Balance—As of Dec. 31, 1963		$5,071 18

COUNTY FARM SUPERINTENDENT'S ACCOUNT

Total Amount of Receipts from Institution—Year Ending Dec. 31, 1963	$117,372 76
Total Remittances to County Treasurer—Year Ending December 31, 1963	117,372 76
Superintendent's Balance on Hand—January 1, 1963	$200 00
Superintendent's Balance on Hand—December 31, 1963	200 00

INDEBTEDNESS

Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	None
Outstanding Long Term Notes	None
Outstanding Bonds	$185,000 00
Bills Owed by County	$24,491 66

COUNTY TAXES UNCOLLECTED— DEC. 31, 1963

County Taxes Due from Townes and Cities	$1,000 00

M. B. MOYNIHAN,
DORIS W. MORGAN,
County Auditors

January 16, 1964

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners we hereby submit our annual report for the year ending December 31, 1963, for the Maplewood Hospital and Home.

Conditions and things beyond the control of a well plotted course have a way of happening, as you gentlemen are well aware. For example, the first thing was the collapse of our gravel packed well, which necessitated the installation of a new one at considerable expense. At this time I wish to thank you for the foresight in the reclaiming of our old rock well by the reservoir. There being no record of its depth we were pleased to find it to be around one hundred and ninety feet deep. With the installation of a deep well pump it is able to furnish seventy gallons per minute, so that now with two good wells located at either end of our water main in the event of an unlooked for breakdown in either one, we now have good protection.

The second unlooked for event was the high wind and storm. That took about eight square of shingle from the dairy barn, at the same time spoiling between eight and ten tons of baled hay. The fact was that by doing this work (reshingling) ourselves we were able to save a considerable amount of money, but some of the major repairs we had planned will have to be carried over for another year, simply conditions beyond our control.

Our dairy herd experienced some breeding difficulties this past year, coupled with some personnel problems, all of which I am happy to report are being corrected.

Our hens are not only supplying the institution with ample eggs but are doing well in the repayment of their original cost.

Of course, we were victims of the drought that plagued this area the past summer. Our ensilage was off about a third, and hay the same, but with our carry over of hay it poses no problem. We did have to dig a new well at the No. 3 cottage and by going further up the hill located a good vein of water. All this being done in the driest time, we hope that with the excellent recovery of the new well it will prove ample.

Our vegetable garden did just fine with Mr. Miller' care, also with the help of our irrigation system, providing the institution with plenty of fresh vegetables and an ample amount

to freeze. While our potatoes were down, there should be ample for our needs.

It certainly is heartwarming to have as many visitors as we have had this past year, not only in visiting the patients in the hospital unit, but by people of the county wishing to acquaint themselves with the facilities and the workings of the institution.

Both Mrs. McGirr and I wish to thank you, the Commissioners, and the County Delegation for your help in making this past year a successful one.

We wish to thank the clergy of all faiths for their spiritual care; our medical staff, Dr. O'Connor, Dr. Buttrick, Dr. Murray Jr., and Dr. Grimes; also our hospital staff for their care of our patients; the many organizations, Girls Scouts, who made Christmas such a happy one; also those who throughout the year visited the institution.

To the personnel at the Court House, Sheriff Walker and his department, the County Attorney, Mr. Zimmerman, also Mr. Contas, Clerk of Superior Court; to the personnel of the institution, Mrs. McGirr joins me in being sincerely thankful for their support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET H. McGIRR, R.N., Director of Nurses
ROYAL E. McGIRR, Administrator

INVENTORY OF MAPLEWOOD FARM

For the Year Ending December 31, 1963

Farm equipment, shop and plumbing supplies	$19,750 00
Boilerhouse, laundry and equipment	30,000 00
Hospital equipment and supplies	24,000 00
Freezer plant	4,000 00
Furniture and supplies	15,000 00
Groceries and supplies	2,000 00
Wood and fuel (oil)	1,600 00
Livestock	19,000 00
Farm produce	2,000 00
Sawed lumber	2,000 00
Hay, grain and ensilage	6,850 00
T.V. cable	3,000 00
	$129,200 00

INVENTORY OF COUNTY FARM PROPERTY

County Farm and buildings	$500,000 00
Personal property at Farm	129,200 00
Wood lot, Chesterfield	300 00
	$629,500 00

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

Board paid by City and Towns:		
Alstead	$198 77	
Gilsum	521 86	
Hinsdale	389 25	
Keene	1,175 91	
Marlboro	838 50	
Swanzey	993 00	
Walpole	117 84	
	$4,235 13	
Board of private patients	89,862 08	
		$94,097 21
Miscellaneous items		963 01
Sale of farm products:		
Dairy	$18,737 81	
Cattle and stock	1,421 10	
Pigs	473 80	
Eggs	398 63	
Refund on gasoline tax	356 56	
Miscellaneous	924 64	
		22,312 54
		$117,372 76

DETAIL OF PAYMENTS

House of Correction:	
Labor	$8,511 24
Other expenses	2,336 89
Farming:	
Labor	7,028 10
Seeds and fertilizer	2,229 68
Supplies	2,240 61
Repairs	1,317 68
Other expenses	1,116 87

Livestock:		
Feed	11,326 57	
Labor	2,878 15	
Supplies	1,190 28	
Other expenses	788 02	
Operation and Maintenance of Plant:		
Labor	40,929 94	
Provisions	14,996 18	
Supplies	3,502 42	
Repairs	3,836 47	
Clothing	172 41	
Fuel, light, power, etc	18,348 40	
Insurance, taxes and other expenses	11,880 55	
Hospital:		
Labor	47,667 32	
Other expenses	9,128 97	
		$191,426 75

Cost of Two Boilers at County Farm

Payments in 1962	
Arthur Whitcomb, Boiler house for storage of oil tank, roof, concrete, etc.	$940 07
Perkins, Bassett & Wright, magnesia pipe covering	106 66
W. V. Toomey Co., plumbing	871 14
Sanel Auto Parts, Acetylene, oxygen	13 51
Wilson Welding Co., welding	150 00
N. American Mogul Co., drums	307 62
Economy Coal Co., on contract	20,500 00
	$22,889 00
Payments in 1963	
Economy Coal Co., on contract	$2,204 79
R. L. Galloway, engineering	650 00
Arthur Whitcomb, concrete, etc.	351 00
Richco Products, Cleaning unit	453 07
Paul Hatt, electrical work	361 89
Payne Construction, smooth cement	162 84
Keene Building Supplies, Paint, etc.	135 62
W. V. Toomey Co., plumbing	85 00
Perkins Lumber Co., lumber	18 11
Ralph Payne, staging material	20 00
	$4,442 32
	$27,331 32

PER CAPITA COST OF INMATES AT COUNTY FARM INCLUDING HOUSE OF CORRECTION

		No. of weeks
Almshouse		809
House of Correction		695—3
		1504—3
Town Boarders		158—3
Private boarders		2086—4
		2245
Total County Farm expenditures	$217,679 07	
Inventory of personal property at beginning of year	127,600 00	
Accounts payable at end of year	7,207 16	
Accounts receivable at beginning of year	11,007 60	
		363,493 83
Cash receipts for Farm:		
From boarders	$94,097 21	
From other sources	23,275 55	
	117,372 76	
Inventory of personal property at end of year	129,200 00	
Accounts payable at beginning of year	12,332 98	
Accounts receivable at end of year	10,645 91	
		269,551 65
Balance against Farm		$93,942 18

Per capita cost per week for all inmates but excluding employees and guests, $25.05 plus.

PRODUCE USED FROM THE FARM

Asparagus—441 lbs.
Beans—70 bu.
Beans, Shell—37 bu.
Beans, Dry—15 lbs.
Beets—35 bu.
Beet greens—12 lbs.
Broccoli—2 bu.
Corn, pop.—5 bu.
Corn, Sweet—180 bu.
Corn, colored—3 bu.
Cabbage—1040 head
Cauliflower—550 head
Carrots—29 bu.
Chard—33 bu.
Cucumbers—105 bu.
Dill, dry—25 lbs.

Gourds—4 bu.
Lettuce, head—170 bu.
Lettuce Leaf—9 bu.
Melons—80 bu.
Watermelons—320 bu.
Onions—80 bu.
Parsnips—3 bu.
Potatoes—464 bu.
Pumpkins—2000 lbs.
Peas—31 bu.
Peppers—38 bu.
Rutabeggas—50 bu.
Radishes—2 bu.
Rhubarb—1000 lbs.
Spinach—62 bu.
Squash—34 bu., summer
Squash—22 bu., caserta
Squash—1250 lbs., winter
Strawberries—1230 qts.
Salsify—8 bu.
Scallions—5 bu.
Tomatoes—157 bu.
Chickens—7000 lbs.
Eggs—2666 from 9-6-63 thru 12-31-63
Daily consumption average 12½ dozen
Hay—7200 bales
Beef—10964 lbs.
Pork—4565 lbs.
Fowl—650 lbs.
Milk produced—375,654 lbs.
Milk consumed at farm—172,520 qts.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS FROZEN, 1963

Asparagus—52 lbs.
Rhubarb—100 lb. frozen, 24 quarts canned
Strawberries—1119 lbs.
Hamburg—456 lbs.
Peas—480 lbs.
Raspberries—463 lbs.
Spinach—70 lbs.
String Beans—540 lbs.
Beets—56 quarts
Corn—780 lbs.
Peppers—168 lbs.
Tomatoes—222 quarts
Cantaloupe—200 lbs.
Shell Beans—458 lbs.
Tomato Sauce—60 lbs.
Spaghetti Sauce—150 lbs.
Cauliflower—300 lbs.
Plums—36 quarts
Chili Sauce—6 quarts
Mince Meat—345 lbs.
Eggs—344 doz.
For cooking when production drops off

STOCK ON FARM DECEMBER 31, 1963

41 cows
2 heifers, 2 year bred
9 calves, under 1 year
4 calves, 1 year
18 pigs
36 beef stock
1 bull

INMATES AT FARM JANUARY 1, 1964 —

Beers, James
Bixby, Walter
Britton, Bertha
Bruce, Joseph
Durell, Kendall
Gilbo, Elwin
Gilbo, Elbridge
Howe, Edward
Hulslander, Arthur
Morse, Carroll
Norton, George
Oulette, Albert
Rattray, Daniel
Stowell, Charles
Whitney, Bertha

Record of Inmates at Cheshire County Almshouse from Jan. 1, 1963 to Jan. 1, 1964

Name	Yr. of Birth	Received from	Date of Admission	Date of Discharge	Nationality	Days' Board	Board Paid By
Avery, Frances	1891	Keene	4-1-51	7-15-63	American	196	County
Bixby, Walter	1898	"	8-11-53		"	365	"
Beers, James	1882	Walpole	10-26-61		"	365	"
Batchelder, Albert	1904	Fitzwilliam	5-31-63	6-24-63	"	25	"
Britton, Bertha	1898	Keene	3-17-17		"	365	"
Bundy, Bernice	1896	"	11-15-55	3-20-63	"	79	"
Bruce, Joseph	1880	Marlow	12-12-62	4-25-63	"	115	"
Champney, Henry	1901	Keene	11-27-62	5-23-63	"	143	Keene
" "		"	7-31-63	11-15-63		108	"
Cota, Louis	1901	"	12-11-62	3-22-63	"	81	"
Dimick, Charles	1913	Gilsum	1-5-63	4-30-63	"	120	Gilsum
Durrell, Kendall	1899	Keene	6-24-61		"	365	County
Gilbo, Elwin	1903	"	8-6-61		"	365	"
Gilbo, Elbridge	1902	"	10-20-63		"	365	"
Gokey, Wm.	1889	Marlboro	3-11-63	11-1-63	"	133	Marlboro
Howe, Edward	1882	Keene	10-16-63		"	77	Keene
Houle, Arthur	1899	Hinsdale	5-12-62	3-14-63	"	73	Hinsdale
Hulslander, Arthur	1911	Keene	10-25-62		"	365	County
Morse, Carroll	1904	"	6-4-60		"	365	"
Norton, George	1902	"	9-16-63		"	107	"
Osborne, Stanley	1879	Alstead	1-4-63	4-16-63	"	106	"
Oullette, Albert	1913	Keene	12-17-63		"	15	Jaffrey
Rattray, Daniel	1885	"	12-6-56		Canadian	365	County
Stowell, Charles	1914	Swanzey	1-7-63		American	359	Swanzey
Whitney, Bertha	1904	Keene	6-5-22		"	365	County

REPORT OF MASTER OF THE HOUSE OF CORRECTION

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners:

Gentlemen: I hereby submit my report as Master of the House of Correction for the year ending December 31, 1963.

The following is a summary of the prisoners committed and discharged during the year:

Number of prisoners January 1, 1963	16
Number of prisoners committed	253
Number of prisoners absconded	1
Number of prisoners discharged	238
Number of prisoners January 1, 1964	15

Of the above, 107 were being held; 42 committed for drunkenness; 26 motor vehicle violations, 12 larceny, 21 assault, 7 morals offenses, 6 disturbing the peace, four each for non-support, contributing to delinquency of minors, stolen car, 3 each for vagrancy, and breaking, entering and larceny; two each for bad check, intent to defraud, violation of probation, promote and abet; one each for breaking and entering, attempt to break and enter, reckless driving death resulting, receiving stolen property, and counterfeiting.

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL E. McGIRR,
Master

Record of Prisoners at Cheshire County House of Correction
From January 1, 1963 to January 1, 1964

Name	Age	Date of Admission	Received from	Date of Discharge	Nationality	Days' Board	Remarks
Adams, Kenneth L.	18	1-13-63	Keene	2-8-63	American	27	Larceny
Amell, Albert L.	41	10-20-63	"	10-26-63	"	7	Drunk
Amer, Michael F.	18	5-24-63	"	5-31-63	"	8	Hold for Mun. Court
" "	18	10-8-63	"		"	85	Larceny
Anderson, Richard D.	39	7-11-63	Hinsdale	7-11-6	"	1	Hold for Hinsdale police
Augustinowicz, John	47	9-30-63	Walpole	10-4-63	"	5	Hold for State Police
Buck, Barbara	25	12-21-63	Keene	12-30-63	"	10	Hold for Vt. police
Backman, Harry E.	62	2-6-63	"	2-17-63	Nova Scotia	12	Drunk
" "	62	2-20-63	"	3-19-63	"	28	"
Barrett, Charles S.	34	6-28-63	Walpole	7-5-63	American	8	Hold for Walpole Court
" "	34	7-5-63	"	7-16-63	"	12	Hold for Superior Court
" "	34	7-16-63	"	9-7-63	"	53	Larceny
Barrett, Fred M.	21	2-21-63	Keene	4-15-63	"	54	Morals offense
" "	21	6-22-63	Hinsdale	6-23-63	"	2	Hold for safe keeping
" "	21	7-18-63	Keene	8-27-63	"	41	Hold for Superior Court
Barton, Robert W.	19	3-30-63	"	4-6-63	"	8	Motor vehicle violation
Bates, Frank M.	56	8-12-63	"	8-23-63	"	12	Drunk
Baxter, Norman H.	45	3-4-63	"	3-15-63	"	12	"
" "	46	11-9-63	"	11-20-63	"	12	"
" "	46	12-11-63	"		"	21	"
Benjamin, Robert L.	45	9-26-63	"	10-2-63	"	7	"
Benoit, Paul C.	31	9-11-63	"	9-27-63	"	17	Hold
Bergeron, Lucien H.	19	2-25-63	"	3-2-63	"	6	Hold
" "	19	3-2-63	"	3-31-63	"	30	Petty larceny
" "	19	4-10-63	"	4-12-63	"	3	Hold for Superior Court
Bisaillon, Raymond E.	22	7-15-63	Troy	7-19-63	"	5	Hold

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Blair, Everett Jr.	25	8-31-63	Jaffrey		American	123	Contr. to del. of minor
Bowler, Gordon A.	19	3-15-63	Keene	3-17-63	"	3	Motor vehicle violation
Brandt, Enoch	55	3-4-63	"	3-15-63	"	12	Drunk
" "	55	6-22-63	Hinsdale	6-23-63	"	2	Hold for safe keeping
Branscomb, Carol M.	19	5-6-63	Keene	5-6-63	"	1	Morals offense
Brown, Harry G.	22	6-22-63	"	6-27-63	"	6	Hold for Sheriff
Brown, Kenneth H.	20	12-8-63	"	1-3-63	"	3	Assault
Brown, Percy T.	69	9-8-63	"	10-3-63	"	26	Vagrant
Buffum, Earl D.	27	5-2-63	"	6-30-63	"	60	Non-support
Buote, Harold J.	28	1-31-63	"	2-26-63	"	27	Morals offense
Caeuette, August	75	6-24-63	Jaffrey	7-20-63	Canadian	27	Drunk
Calderwood, Irving C.	37	3-9-63	Keene	3-23-63	American	15	Hold
" "	37	3-23-63	"	9-5-63	"	167	Bad check
Campbell, Milton D.	32	3-30-63	Winchester	3-31-63	"	2	Hold for Winchester police
Carey, Mary Lee	20	1-31-63	Keene	2-26-63	"	27	Morals offense
Carpenter, Richard	34	9-25-63	"	10-15-63	"	21	Hold
Case, Paul H.	22	5-6-63	"	5-11-63	"	6	Hold
" "	22	5-11-63	"	5-12-63	"	2	Morals offense
Chase, Don L.	32	3-8-63	"	3-9-63	"	2	Hold for sheriff
" "	32	3-11-63	"	3-12-63	"	2	Hold
" "	32	5-11-63	"	5-13-63	"	3	Hold for Superior Court
Chase, Elmer R.	40	5-27-63	"	6-22-63	"	27	Larceny
" "	40	6-27-63	"	7-23-63	"	27	Assault on police
Clapp, Richard W.	26	1-30-63	Superior Ct.	1-31-63	"	2	Hold for sheriff
" "	26	1-31-63	Keene	2-13-63	"	14	Contr. to del. of minor
Connors, Fleomen	42	5-13-63	"	5-18-63	"	6	Hold for Municipal Court

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Connors, Fleoman	42	5-24-63	Keene	5-24-63	American	1	Motor vehicle violation
" "	42	12-10-63	"	12-16-63	"	7	Hold for Municipal Court
" "	42	12-16-63	"	12-20-63	"	5	Motor vehicle violation
Cooke, Carlton R.	26	1-30-63	"	9-6-63	"	218	Morals offense
Copeland, Frederick	19	6-5-63	Hinsdale	7-1-63	"	27	Larceny
" "	19	11-7-63	Keene	11-21-63	"	15	Hold
Creamer, Alton A.	34	6-15-63	"	6-15-63	"	1	Motor vehicle violation
Croft, Walter H.	19	12-20-63	"	12-24-63	"	5	Hold
Davidson, Robert A.	55	4-12-63	"	5-11-63	"	30	Intent to cheat & defraud
" "	55	5-11-63	"	6-3-63	"	24	Hold
Devins, William	66	4-16-63	"	4-27-63	"	12	Drunk
" "	66	5-14-63	"	5-25-63	"	12	"
" "	66	5-27-63	"	6-7-63	"	12	"
" "	67	6-10-63	"	6-11-63	"	2	Hold
" "	67	6-22-63	"	7-3-63	"	12	Drunk
" "	67	7-11-63	"	7-22-63	"	12	"
" "	67	8-5-63	"	8-16-63	"	12	"
" "	67	8-19-63	"	8-30-63	"	12	"
" "	67	8-31-63	"	9-11-63	"	12	"
Dickinson, Philip Jr.	18	11-20-63	"	11-23-63	"	4	Hold for Court
Doyle, James J.	49	7-17-63	Walpole	7-18-63	"	2	Hold for Court
" "	49	7-18-63	"	8-16-63	"	30	Drunk
" "	50	8-26-63	"	8-27-63	"	2	Hold for Court
" "	50	8-27-63	"	10-19-63	"	54	Drunk
Doyle, Thomas	47	8-26-63	"	8-27-63	"	2	Hold for Court
" "	47	8-27-63	"	10-19-63	"	54	Drunk

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Doyle, Thomas	48	11-1-63	Keene	11-2-63	American	2	Hold for Walpole police
Drouin, Roland	22	10-31-63	"	11-2-63	"	3	Hold for Superior Court
Dunbar, Norma	18	12-21-63	"	12-30-63	"	10	Hold for Vt. police
Dunton, Marilyn J.	26	6-29-63	"	7-1-63	"	3	Hold for Court
" "	26	7-1-63	"	8-27-63	"	58	Counterfeit check
Duplantis, Llewellyn	20	3-25-63	"	3-28-63	"	4	Hold for sheriff
Durham, Frederick	26	11-26-63	"		"	36	Non-support
Emerson, Barbara	18	6-11-63	"	8-27-63	"	78	Hold
Emerson, George	17	4-3-63	"	5-29-63	"	57	Assault
Ethridge, Richard C.	19	2-4-63	Hinsdale	3-30-63	"	55	Larceny
Falso, Ronald	21	10-7-63	Walpole	10-9-63	"	3	Hold
Fannie, Edward U.	22	2-26-63	Manchester	2-28-63	"	3	Hold
Fish, Arnold	18	6-9-63	Keene	7-4-63	"	26	Assault on police
Fisher, Robert B.	52	6-18-63	"	7-14-63	"	27	Motor vehicle violation
Fletcher, Norman C.	26	1-6-63	"	1-30-63	"	25	Hold for Superior Court
Fontaine, Richard L.	23	3-29-63	"	4-24-63	"	27	Stolen car
French, Clifton	78	9-20-63	"	9-20-63	"	1	Motor Vehicle Violation
French, Reginald	18	9-20-63	"	10-4-63	"	15	Motor Vehicle Violation
Gagne, William R.	25	7-9-63	"	8-4-63	"	27	Non-support
Garrapy, Harvey E.	25	4-27-63	"	6-19-63	"	54	Assault on police
Gilbo, Elwin J.	59	4-27-63	"	5-3-63	"	7	Drunk
Gilcris, Otto R.	47	7-1-63	"	7-8-63	"	8	Hold for Municipal Court
Gillen, Melvin J.	31	2-16-63	"	2-24-63	"	9	Hold for Ohio police
Goodnow, Philip T.	22	11-13-63	"	12-9-63	"	27	Assault on police
" "	22	12-21-63	"		"	11	Hold for Jaffrey police
Goodrich, Clyde	41	12-7-63	"	12-17-63	"	11	Hold

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Goodwin, Alfred	24	6-11-63	Keene	8-27-63	American	78	Hold for Superior Court
Gould, Richard L.	20	6-3-63	"	8-26-63	"	85	Motor vehicle violations
Greenwood, Charles	38	5-3-63	"	5-14-63	"	12	Drunk
Griffin, Harvey	26	3-2-63	"	3-2-63	"	1	Motor vehicle violations
Hallowell, John H.	19	12-31-63	"		"	1	Larceny
Hamel, Arnold A.	19	10-24-62	"	1-27-63	"	27	Stolen car
Hazen, James	71	7-11-63	"	7-17-63	"	8	Drunk
Hewett, Donald	22	12-16-63	"	12-20-63	"	5	Hold
" "	22	12-20-63	"		"	12	Motor vehicle violation
Hicks, Richard E.	21	9-13-63	Jaffrey	9-17-63	"	5	Hold for sheriff
" "	21	12-2-63	State Hosp.	12-17-63	"	16	Hold
Hill, George T.	20	10-5-63	Jaffrey	10-31-63	"	17	Drunk
Hiltz, Basil	52	7-29-63	Walpole	8-1-63	Nova Scotia	4	Hold for State Police
Hudson, Leland W.	21	12-6-63	Keene	6-20-63	American	171	Morals offense
Isakson, Gerald	21	10-15-62	"	1-6-63	"	6	Violated probation
Jantti, Ralph	41	12-21-62	"	1-16-63	"	16	Drunk
" "	41	1-17-63	"	2-12-63	"	27	Vagrant
" "	41	2-13-63	"	3-11-63	"	27	Drunk
" "	41	5-17-63	"	6-12-63	"	27	"
" "	41	7-6-63	"	7-12-63	"	7	Drunk
" "	42	11-1-63	"	11-7-63	"	7	"
Johnson, Edward C. Jr.	21	11-22-63	"	12-16-63	"	25	Motor vehicle violation
Johnson, Kenneth L.	18	3-23-63	"	3-28-63	"	6	Hold for Superior Court
" "	19	11-18-63	"	12-3-63	"	16	Assault on police
Joslyn, Roger	18	6-8-63	"	6-11-63	"	4	Hold for Municipa lCourt
" "	18	6-11-63	"	7-4-63	"	24	Assault on police

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Kennedy, Robert A.	19	10-24-62	Keene	4-29-63	American	119	Stolen car
" "	19	4-29-63	"	5-29-63	"	31	Hold for Mass. St. Police
Kiniry, James M.	19	12-21-63	"		"	11	Hold
Kirby, William G.	55	11-20-63	"	12-16-63	"	27	Vagrant
Koch, Dennis W.	19	6-11-63	"	7-7-63	"	27	Assault on police
Kolapakka, Daniel B.	23	11-20-63	"	11-23-63	"	4	Hold for court
LaCount, Douglas L.	21	10-26-63	"	11-21-63	"	27	Motor Vehicle violations
LaFave, Edwin	36	4-18-63	"	4-19-63	"	2	Hold for Sheriff
Lagasse, William J.	42	11-23-62	Jaffrey	5-5-63	"	125	Contr. to del. of minors
Lamoureux, Robert J.	18	8-28-63	Keene	9-23-63	"	27	Assault on wife
Landay, Samuel L.	23	9-23-63	Winchester	9-28-63	"	6	Hold
Laramie, Raymond J.	48	11-13-63	Keene	11-13-63	"	1	Motor Vehicle violation
Lazzaro, Valeria	27	1-30-63	"	2-25-63	"	27	Violation of probation
Leslie, Charles	18	10-4-63	Winchester	10-25-63	"	22	Motor vehicle violation
Lower, Almes Jr.	24	5-22-63	Hinsdale	5-22-63	"	1	Hold
McCollester, Ernest	48	1-10-63	Keene	2-5-63	"	27	Larceny
McCullough, Richard	29	7-31-63	Jaffrey	8-6-63	"	7	Motor vehicle violations
McDonald, Russell	23	3-16-63	Keene	3-18-63	"	3	Hold for court
" "	23	3-18-63	"	4-13-63	"	27	Intent to defraud
McGinness, James J.	54	4-20-63	"	5-16-63	"	27	Drunk
McIsaac, Augustin	29	9-5-63	Jaffrey	10-2-63	"	28	Drunk
" "	29	10-3-63	Keene	11-18-63	"	47	Hold for Superior Court
" "	29	11-18-63	"		"	43	Attempt to B & E.
McWhirter, Waldo R.	48	8-15-63	"	8-27-63	"	14	Hold for Superior Court
Mackey, Onni	59	3-9-63	"	3-11-63	"	3	Drunk
Marnell, Patrick	67	12-6-63	"		"	26	Disturbing the peace

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Marrott, Alfred M.	18	2-20-63	Keene	4-14-63	American	55	Promote and abet
" "	19	9-13-63	"	10-28-63	"	46	Hold
" "	19	10-28-63	"	12-20-63	"	54	Reck. driv., death result.
Martel, Joseph A.	21	6-24-63	"	7-8-63	"	15	Hold for S.C. & absconded
Martin, John	47	7-31-63	Jaffrey	8-5-63	"	6	Drunk
Martineau, Clarence	39	7-25-63	Winchester	8-21-63	"	28	Hold for Sheriff
Martineau, Roland	28	7-25-63	"	8-21-63	"	28	Hold for Sheriff
Matthews, Gerald Jr.	26	6-13-63	Hinsdale	6-13-63	"	1	Hold for Court
Mattson, Raymond	40	1-4-63	Keene	6-19-63	"	68	Drunk
Maxwell, Henry B.	42	1-11-63	Hinsdale	4-3-63	"	84	Hold
Mayhew, William	25	12-21-62	Concord	1-25-63	"	25	Hold
Mazola, Gerald	22	8-24-63	Keene	9-4-63	"	12	Hold
Merchant, Ronald D.	18	8-5-63	"	9-27-63	"	54	Assault
Messier, Arthur	36	3-18-63	"	3-19-63	"	2	Hold
Miller, Rufus	37	11-30-62	"	1-22-63	"	22	Contr, to del. of minor
Mills, Ralph E.	19	1-10-63	"	2-5-63	"	27	Assault
Montgomery, Alton R.	19	7-12-63	Hinsdale	7-13-63	"	2	Hold for court
" "	19	7-13-63	"	8-8-63	"	27	Motor vehicle violation
Morehouse, Philip	45	10-26-63	Keene	11-1-63	"	17	Drunk
Nastasia, John L.	24	5-17-63	"	6-12-63	"	27	Assault
Olcott, Leo W.	41	11-20-62	"	2-8-63	"	39	Non-support
Packard, Richard	21	7-28-63	Hinsdale	7-29-63	"	2	Hold for police
Paige, Fred	22	6-8-63	Keene	6-11-63	"	4	Hold for Municipal Court
" "	22	6-14-63	"	7-10-63	"	27	Promote and abet
Parker, Warren R.	25	3-1-63	Walpole	3-25-63	"	25	Motor vehicle violation
Patch, Robert	24	8-2-63	Jaffrey	8-3-63	"	2	Motor vehicle violation

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Peters, Artie	20	10-13-63	Hinsdale	10-14-63	American		Hold for sheriff
Peters, Robert	18	10-13-63	Hinsdale	10-14-63	"	2	Hold for sheriff
Poland, Forrest A.	26	6-25-63	Keene	7-10-63	"	16	Hold
Provencher, Stephen	19	11-21-63	"	12-23-63	"	33	Motor vehicle violation
Putnam, Richard E.	30	4-23-63	"	5-19-63	"	27	Larceny
" "	30	8-17-63	"	8-24-63	"	8	Hold for Superior Court
" "	30	8-24-63	"	10-29-63	"	67	B & E.
" "	30	11-9-63	"		"	53	Motor vehicle violation
Raffles, Rachel R.	27	6-29-63	"	8-27-63	"	60	Hold for Superior Court
" "	27	8-27-63	"	10-19-63	"	54	Bad checks
Reed, Erbin	19	3-23-63	Keene	4-8-63	"	17	Disturbing the peace
" "	19	4-13-63	Walpole	4-20-63	"	8	Hold for sheriff
" "	19	5-29-63	State Hosp.	6-3-63	"	6	Hold
" "	19	6-3-63	Keene	7-17-63	"	45	Hold
" "	19	9-11-63	"	9-12-63	"		Hold
" "	19	12-2-63	State Hosp.		"	30	Hold
Reed, Gilman	28	11-9-63	Keene	11-13-63	"	5	Hold for Municipal Court
Reed, Gordon	20	7-20-63	"	7-22-63	"	3	Hold for sheriff
Robbins, Jack E.	26	6-22-63	"	8-27-63	"	67	Hold for sheriff
" "	26	8-27-63	"		"	127	B & E, Larceny
Robinson, Basile W.	42	12-17-62	"	1-9-63	"	9	B & E, Larceny
Robinson, Carl F.	45	3-25-63	"	4-20-63	"	27	Assault
Roland, George	80	8-8-63	"	8-14-63	"	7	Drunk
St. Francis, Joseph	38	5-22-63	"	5-29-63	"	8	Disturbing the peace
" "	38	6-1-63	"	6-27-63	"	27	Larceny
" "	38	9-28-63	"	10-4-63	"	7	Drunk

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St. Francis, Joseph	39	12-15-63	Keene		American	27	Disturbing the peace.
Salonen, Roland F.	25	10-5-63	Jaffrey	10-31-63	"	27	Drunk
Sanville, Almon	48	10-26-63	Keene	11-21-63	"	27	Disturbing the peace
" "	48	12-24-63	Spofford	12-25-63	"	2	Hold for court
Scanlon, Thomas	39	1-5-63	Jaffrey	2-27-63	"	54	Drunk
Seyfert, Richard J.	45	9-9-63	Keene	9-14-63	"	7	Hold for court
" "	45	9-14-63	"	9-19-63	"	6	Motor vehicle violation
Shackett, Richard H.	30	8-3-63	Walpole	8-3-63	"	1	Hold for police
Shattuck, Richard C.	22	12-24-63	"	12-26-63	"	3	Hold for police
" "	22	6-18-63	Keene	6-20-63	"	3	Hold for sheriff
Shine, Forrest L.	52	12-24-63	"	12-28-63	"	5	Drunk
Shrepta, Peter	50	12-21-62	"	1-16-63	"	16	Disturbing the peace
" "	50	6-20-63	"	7-16-63	"	27	Assault
Simonds, Raymond	46	10-26-62	"	9-19-63	"	263	B & E, Larceny
Slocum, Edward R.	30	3-2-63	"	3-9-63	"	8	Hold
Smart, Sylvia J.	23	4-2-63	"	4-5-63	"	4	Hold
" "	23	5-6-63	State Hosp.	6-3-63	"	29	Hold
Spicer, Paul	19	10-7-63	Walpole	10-9-63	"	3	Hold
Spicer, Robert	21	10-7-63	"	10-9-63	"	3	Hold
Starkey, James R.	27	7-31-63	Jaffrey	8-6-63	"	7	Motor Vehicle violation
Stone, Harold	24	10-30-62	Keene	1-18-63	"	18	Assault on police
" "	25	4-26-63	"	7-14-63	"	80	Assault
" "	25	7-24-63	"	10-12-63	"	81	Assault
Storey, Robert S.	37	1-8-63	"	2-2-63	"	26	Motor vehicle violation
Taylor, David	28	12-3-63	"		"	19	Larceny
Torrey, Harold	32	6-2-63	N. Walpole	6-3-63	"	2	Hold for police

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Trask, Walter H.	20	2-25-63	Keene	3-2-63	American	6	Hold
" "	20	3-2-63	"	3-31-63	"	30	Receive stolen property
Trask, Walter H.	21	4-10-63	Keene	4-12-63	American	3	Hold for Superior Court
Trombley, Reginald	23	6-22-63	"	7-18-63	"	58	Assault on police
" "	23	8-31-63	"	9-27-63	"	28	Drunk and assault
Vorce, Leonard J.	25	2-23-63	"	3-6-63	"	12	Hold
" "	25	4-18-63	State Hosp.	6-3-63	"	47	Hold for Superior Court
Vose, Floyd	35	12-7-63	Keene	12-20-63	"	14	Hold
Ward, John P.	19	2-6-63	"	3-7-63	"	30	Motor vehicle violation
" "	20	8-5-63	"	9-27-63	"	54	Assault
Ward, Robert J.	22	5-16-63	"	6-10-63	"	26	Taking car without claim
Watts, Ervin W.	48	1-7-63	"	1-7-63	"	1	Hold
Westcott, Herbert	56	11-2-62	Walpole	2-5-63	"	36	Hold for sheriff
Wheeler, Wayne A.	20	9-28-63	Keene	9-28-63	"	1	Motor vehicle violation
White, Charles	49	12-20-62	State Hosp.	2-26-63	"	57	Hold for Superior Court
White, William E.	28	1-29-63	Keene	2-1-63	"	4	Hold
Wilber, Basil	38	2-18-63	"	4-12-63	"	55	Assault
Williams, Leonard R.	31	2-14-63	Jaffrey	3-15-63	"	2	Hold

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To recording permanent judgments		954 25
To charges to County		
return of 64 divorces @ .65		41 60
Mittimi and probation certificates		40 00
Capii		40 00
Certified copy		1 00
Entry fee, 34 state cases		132 50
Entry fee, 20 reciprocals		67 50
Entry fee, 1 sexual psychopath petition		2 50
To cash paid out		
Postage and incidentals		193 50
By credits:		
Costs received	$64 00	
Fines received	810 00	
353 Entries @ $2.50 882 50		
96 Entries @ $5.00 480 00		
	$1,362 50	

257 Civil, #11997-12255
151 Equity #7203-7375 (No entry fee on reciprocals, sexual psychopath petitions and transfers)
36 Appeals
5 Sessions #410-414

Items chargeable to County	325 10
Other fees for benefit of County	380 95
Miscellaneous credits	157 65

Drawn on County Treasurer:

January 31, 1963	$458 05
February 28, 1963	941 70
March 31, 1963	938 81
April 30, 1963	1,014 35
May 31, 1963	1,126 86

June 30, 1963	1,000 35		
July 31, 1963	905 60		
August 31, 1963	991 81		
		7,377 53	
		$10,477 73	$10,477 73

The foregoing account is examined and allowed and there is found to be no balance due the Clerk from the County, and no balance due the County from the Clerk, through August 31, 1963.

/s/ WILLIAM A. GRIMES,
Presiding Justice

September 7, 1963.

SEPTEMBER TERM 1963

Cheshire County

To Charles J. Contas, Clerk

	Cr.	Dr.
To allowance for Clerk and Clerical hire		$4,346 05
To recording permanent judgments		558 60
To charges to County		
return to 52 divorces @ .65		33 80
Mittimi and probation certificates		24 00
Capii		42 00
Entry fee, 30 state cases		150 00
Entry fee, 6 reciprocals		30 00
Entry fee, 1 sexual psychopath		5 00
To cash paid out		
Postage and incidentals		20 00
By credits:		
Costs received	$59 70	
Fines received	585 00	
260 Entries @ $5.00	1,300 00	
157 Civil #12256-12412		
83 Equity #7376-7464 (no entry fee on reciprocal, sexual psychopath petitions and transfers.)		
18 Appeals		
2 Sessions #415-416		
Items chargeable to County	284 80	
Sale of Rules of Court	128 00	

Other fees for benefit of County		261 75	
Miscellaneous credits		2 00	
Drawn on County Treasurer:			
September 30, 1963	$182 45		
October 31, 1963	671 55		
November 30, 1963	893 15		
December 31, 1963	841 05	2,588 20	
		$5,209 45	$5,209 45

The foregoing account is examined and allowed and there is found to be no balance due the Clerk from the County, and no balance due the County from the Clerk, through December 31, 1963.

Jan. 10, 1964 /s/ ROBERT F. GRIFFITH, Presiding Justice,

A true copy, Attest: CHARLES J. CONTAS, Clerk

REPORT OF THE COUNTY ATTORNEY

To the Honorable County Commissioners for the County of Cheshire:

I hereby submit my annual report as County Attorney for the County of Cheshire for the calendar year 1963.

Included herein is a list of all cases disposed of in the Superior Court during 1963. This list is broken down between felonies and misdemeanors, the latter being cases on appeal to the Superior Court from convictions in the various Municipal Court of the County.

In addition to the listed cases disposed of in the Superior Court, I prosecuted many misdemeanor cases in the Municipal Courts of the County and also appeared in these Courts in numerous cases for hearings on probable cause where a felony charge was involved. I have also appeared in several Juvenile Court proceedings and have given advice and assistance to the State Police, local police departments, the Sheriff's Office, State Welfare Department, the Fish and Game Department and the County Commissioners as requested.

I have prepared and filed in the Superior Court petitions under the Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act

as requested in order to obtain support orders against husbands and fathers who have moved to other states and were neglecting their obligation to support their families in Cheshire County. I have also represented the State in the Superior Court in all such petitions received from other states during the year.

The petition brought by the Town of Hinsdale against Cheshire County and Southwestern New Hampshire Fire District Mutual Aid System to determine whether the system is a valid public municipal corporation remained on the court docket during the year. I have consulted with the County Commissioners and Mr. Callahan of the system from time to to time in connection with this case. I have additionally kept in touch with Attorney Richard Upton of Concord, the Attorney for the system, in order to coordinate our defense. It is anticipated that this case will be disposed of in the Superior Court during the January Term, 1964.

Cases disposed of in the Superior Court during the year 1963 were as follows:

FELONIES

STATE V. CARLTON R. COOKE
January Term, 1963

Indictment for Statutory Rape; plea guilty, sentenced to 1 year in the House of Correction; 4 months suspended, and placed on probation for 2 years after release.

STATE V. NORMAN CHARLES FLETCHER
January Term, 1963

Indictment for Grand Larceny; plea, guilty; continued for sentence and respondent placed on probation for 1 year.

STATE V. ELMER R. GRANT
January Term, 1963

Indictment for Reckless Driving, death resulting; plea, nolo contendere; fined $500, continued for sentence re-imprisonment and placed on probation for 5 years, two of the conditions of such probation being that respondent is (1) not to operate a motor vehicle and (2) submit to treatments for alcoholism under the supervision of the Probation Department.

STATE V. RANDALL W. VINING
January Term, 1963

Indictment for Grand Larceny; plea, guilty; continued for sentence.

STATE V. VALERIA ANNE LAZZARO
January Term, 1963

Indictment for Forgery; plea, guilty; continued for sentence; committed to House of Correction for 60 days; 30 days suspended for violation of probation imposed at September Term, 1962; placed on probation for 1 year after release.

STATE V. LELAND W. HUDSON
September Term, 1962

Indictment for Breaking, Entering and Larceny. January Term, 1963, plea of guilty entered; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 5 years, committed.

STATE V. CHARLES WHITE
September Term, 1961

Indictments for (1) Robbery, (2) Kidnapping and (3) Aggravated Assault; plea, not guilty to all. January Term, 1963, trial by jury; found guilty of Petit Larceny, Kidnapping and Aggravated Assault; sentenced to New Hampshir State Prison for a term of 7 to 12 years on Kidnapping charge and for term of 1 to 3 years on Aggravated Assault charge, to be served concurrently; Petit Larceny charge continued for sentence.

STATE V. EDWARD U. FANNIE, JR.
September Term, 1962

Indictment for Breaking, Entering and Larceny. January Term, 1963, plea of guilty entered; continued for sentence and placed on probation for 10 months.

STATE V. WILLIAM ZIRPOLO
January Term, 1961

Indictment for Armed Robbery. January Term, 1963, plea of guilty entered; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 5 years, committed.

STATE V. LLEWELLYN J. DUPLANTIS
January Term, 1963

Indictment for Enticing Female Child; plea, not guilty; trial by jury; verdict, not guilty.

STATE V. HENRY B. MAXWELL
September Term, 1959

Indictment for Robbery; Indictment nol prossed at January Term, 1963 and Information for taking motor vehicle without authority substituted; plea, guilty; continued for sentence.

STATE V. FRANCIS T. LEMIEUX
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment for Breaking, Entering and Larceny; plea, guilty; continued for sentence.

Note: Respondent was arraigned on this Waiver of Indictment and several others in the Strafford County Superior Court April 26, 1963. He was sentenced to the New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 2 to 3 years on one of the other charges from Strafford County.

STATE V. LUCIEN H. BERGERON
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Aggravated Assault; plea, guilty; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 3 years, committed.

STATE V. WALTER H. TRASK
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Aggravated Assault; plea, guilty; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 3 years, committed.

STATE V. ROBERT A. DAVIDSON
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment for Grand Larceny; plea, guilty; continued for sentence, placed on probation for 2 years and restitution ordered to be made through the Probation Department.

STATE V. SYLVIA J. SMART
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Aggravated Assault; plea, nolo contendere; continued for sentence and respondent placed on probation for 3 years.

STATE V. LEONARD J. VORCE
January Term, 1963

Waivers of Indictment on charges of (1) Assault With Intent To Commit Robbery and (2) Aggravated Assault; pleas, guilty to both; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 2 to 7 years on charge of Assault With Intent To Commit Robbery, committed; Aggravated Assault charge continued for sentence.

STATE V. ERBIN REED
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Breaking, Entering and Larceny; plea, guilty; respondent ordered committed to

Laconia State School and placed on probation until admitted thereto.

STATE V. FREDERICK C. COPELAND
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Forgery; plea, guilty; continued for sentence and placed on probation for 2 years; restitution ordered to be made through the Probation Department.

STATE V. MARILYN J. DUNTON
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Uttering; plea, guilty continued for sentence and placed on probation for 2 years; restitution ordered to be made through the Probation Department.

STATE V. FRED M. BARRETT
January Term, 1963

Waivers of Indictment on charges of (1) Breaking, Entering and Larceny and (2) Grand Larceny; pleas, guilty to both; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 5 year on Breaking, Entering and Larceny charge, committed; Grand Larceny continued for sentence.

STATE V. HARRY G. BROWN, JR.
January Term, 1963

Waivers of Indictment on four charges of Breaking, Entering and Larceny; pleas, guilty to all; suspended sentence of 1 to 3 years in New Hampshire State Prison imposed at the September Term, 1962, invoked and respondent committed. Respondent additionally sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for further term of 2 to 5 years on one charge; other three charges continued for sentence.

STATE V. BARBARA D. EMERSON
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Forgery; plea, guilty; continued for sentence and placed on probation for 2 years; restitution ordered to be made through Probation Department.

STATE V. ALFRED J. GOODWIN
January Term, 1963

Waivers of Indictment on charges of (1) Forgery and (2) Uttering; pleas, guilty to both; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 3 years on Forgery charge, committed; Uttering charge continued for sentence.

STATE V. WALDO R. McWHIRTER
January Term, 1959

Indictment for Forgery; plea of guilty entered at January Term, 1963; continued for sentence.

STATE V. RACHEL RAFFLES
January Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Forgery; plea, guilty; sentenced to 7 months in the House of Correction, 5 months suspended, and placed on probation for 2 years after release; restitution ordered to be made through the Probation Department.

STATE V. JACK E. ROBBINS, JR.
January Term, 1963

Waivers of Indictment on three charges of Breaking, Entering and Larceny; pleas, guilty to all; sentenced to a term of 3 months in the House of Correction for violation of probation imposed at the September Term, 1961; additionally sentenced to a term of 1 year in the House of Correction, 3 months suspended on one current charge, said term to commence after above 3-month sentence completed; placed on probation for 2 years after release; other 2 charges continued for sentence.

STATE V. WALLACE M. BROWN
September Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Breaking or Entering and committing Assault; plea, nolo contendere; continued for sentence and placed on probation for 2 years.

STATE V. KENNETH H. BROWN
September Term, 1963

Indictment for Grand Larceny; plea, guilty; continued for sentence and placed on probation for 2 years; restitution ordered to be made through the Probation Department.

STATE V. MICHAEL F. AMER
September Term, 1963

Two Indictments for Breaking, Entering and Larceny; pleas, guilty to both; sentenced to 1 year in the House of Correction, 6 months suspended on one charge; placed on probation for 2 years after release; other charge continued for sentence.

STATE V. ROBERT S. HOUGHTON
September Term, 1963

Indictment for Breaking, Entering and Larceny; plea, guilty; continued for sentence and placed on probation for 2 years; restitution ordered to be made through the Probation Department.

STATE V. WILLIAM HURST
September Term, 1963

Indictments for (1) Aggravated Assault and (2) Robbery; pleas, not guilty; trial by jury; verdicts, not guilty.

STATE V. HAROLD TEETER
September Term, 1963

Indictments for (1) Aggravated Assault and (2) Robbery; pleas, not guilty; trial by jury;; verdicts, not guilty of Robbery or Aggravated Assault but guilty of Simple Assault; continued for sentence.

STATE V. RICHARD H. SHACKETT
September Term, 1963

Five Indictments for Forgery; pleas, guilty to all; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 1 to 3 years on one charge, committed; four other charges continued for sentence.

STATE V. JOSEPH A. MARTEL
January Term, 1962

Indictment for Grand Larceny. September Term, 1963, Indictments for (1) Assault With Intent to Kill and (2) Breaking, Entering and Larceny; pleas, guilty to all three charges; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a team of 15 to 18 years on Assault With Intent To Kill charge, committed, and additionally sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 3 to 5 years on Breaking, Entering and Larceny charge, committed, such terms to be served concurrently; Grand Larceny charge continued for sentence.

STATE V. ALFRED M. MARROTT
September Term, 1963

Indictment for Reckless Driving, death resulting; plea, guilty; sentenced to 6 months in the House of Correction, 4 months suspended, and placed on probation for 4 years.

STATE V. THEODORE PIWOWARCZYK, JR.
September Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Robbery; plea, guilty; sentenced to New Hampshire State Prison for a term of 3 to 7 years, committed.

STATE V. AUGUSTINE MARSHALL McISAAC, JR.
September Term, 1963

Waiver of Indictment on charge of Attempt to Break and Enter With Intent to Commit Larceny; plea, guilty; sentenced to 1 year in the House of Correction, 6 months suspended.

APPEALS

STATE V. ARTHUR R. DOUGLAS

Non-support. Nolle Prosequi.

STATE V. WENDELL W. WHITCOMB

Reckless Driving; plea, not guilty; trial by jury resulting in disagreement; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. GEORGE W. EMERSON, JR.

Assault on wife; plea, guilty; sentenced to 60 days in the House of Correction, committed.

STATE V. JOHN W. HUNT

Excessive speed; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. CARL F. ROBINSON

Assault; plea, guilty; sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, committed.

STATE V. CHESTER C. GREENWOOD

Excessive speed; plea, nolo contendere; fined $20.

STATE V. ALBERT M. ETHIEN

Grossly careless and grossly negligent driving; plea of guilty to excessive speed; fined $15.

STATE V. JOHN N. GRANT

Grossly careless and grossly negligent driving; plea, guilty; fined $25. Operating after revocation of license; plea, guilty; fined $25.

STATE V. WALLACE M. BROWN

Operating while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, subsequent offense; plea, guilty; fined $100 and license suspended for 3 years.

STATE V. BERNARD T. HARDING, JR.

Assault on police officer; plea, guilty; fined $50.

STATE V. DONALD L. CHASE

Assault on wife; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. SAMUEL P. DINTINO, JR.

Operating while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, subsequent offense; plea, guilty; continued for sentence re fine and imprisonment; license revoked for 3 years.

STATE V. GEORGE B. CHAMBERLAIN, JR.

Grossly careless and grossly negligent driving; plea, guilty; fined $50.

STATE V. GLENN L. WHITE

Grossly careless and grossly negligent driving; plea, guilty; fined $25.

STATE V. WARREN MOONEY

Assault on wife; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. WILLIAM N. CASHMAN

Failure to yield right of way; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. THEODORE L. BROWN

Violation of dog restraining order; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. WILLIAM H. DANIELS

Grossly careless and grossly negligent driving; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. JAMES S. WILKINS

Assault on police officer; plea, guilty; fined $100 and sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, suspended.

STATE V. JOHN H. McMAHON, JR.

Excessive speed; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. EDWARD A. POWERS

Driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor; plea, nolo contendere; fined $100 and license suspended for 90 days.

Improper turn with motor vehicle; plea, nolo contendere; fined $25.

STATE V. FREDERICK E. HOUGHTON

Excessive speed; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. GARETH QUINTILLO

Faiulre to yield right of way to emergency vehicle; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. ROBERT J. MENTER

Obstructing traffic; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. FRANKLIN A. CAREY

Assault on officer; plea, guilty; fined $25.

STATE V. GERALD D. FOWLER

Disorderly conduct;; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. ERNEST P. KOCH, JR.

Assault on officer; plea, not guilty; trial by the court; verdict, not guilty.

STATE V. FRANK E. DAY

Failure to stop when signalled by officer; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. ARTHUR LASH, JR.

Assault on officer; plea, guilty; sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, suspended and fined $100; $25 suspended.

STATE V. KENNETH BOURASSA

Assault on officer; plea, guilty; sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, suspended and fined $100; $25 suspended.

Stop sign violation; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. ROBERT S. HOUGHTON

Assault on officer (2 complaints), Brawl and Tumult, and Drunkenness; pleas, guilty to all; sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, suspended, and fined $100, $25 suspended, on one count of Assault on officer; 3 other charges continued for sentence.

STATE V. JOSEPH CUNNINGHAM

Operating while under the influence of intoxicating liquor; plea, nolo contendere; fined $100, $50 suspended, and license suspended for 2 years.

STATE V. GEORGE FOSTER

Assault on officer (2 complaints); pleas, guilty to both; sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, suspended, on each charge.

STATE V. UNO M. LAMMINEN

Operating motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor; plea, not guilty; trial by jury; verdict, guilty; fined $100, $50 suspended, and license suspended for 60 days.

STATE V. GILBERT PERHAM

Assault on wife; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. CHARLES F. BURNHAM

Assault on wife; defaulted; bail called and forefeited.

STATE V. ELMER J. OJA

Operating motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor; nolle prosequi.

STATE V. THOMAS J. HAGEN

Excessive speed; plea, nolo contendere; fined $10.

STATE V. KENNETH L. JOHNSON

Assault on officer (2 complaints); plea, guilty to both; sentenced to 30 days in the House of Correction, 15 days suspended on one charge; other charge continued for sentence.

STATE V. STEPHEN PROVENCHER

Driving to Endanger; plea, guilty; sentenced to 6 months in the House of Correction, 2 months suspended.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. ZIMMERMAN,

County Attorney

SHERIFF'S REPORT 1963

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners and Voters of Cheshire County:

As Sheriff of Cheshire County I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1963.

During the year 1963 this Department has had twenty-four hour service through the aid of the County Dispatch Center located on Vernon Street in Keene thus enabling the Department to render more rapid and efficient service to all constituents. Several more Towns have added radios to the Sheriff's frequency, some of the Towns now having two radios on the system, thus enabling these Towns to have the advantage of this twenty-four hours service. Receivers have been installed with other Departments so that communication is established with many of the Vermont communities which border New Hampshire. Due to the increase in crime in the past years fast communications between Departments is essential. These facilities provide law enforcement officers in the area with immediate information regarding crimes committed and aid in apprehension of criminals.

To all law enforcement agencies and to the citizens of Cheshire County I wish to express my thanks and appreciation for the cooperation and assistance received throughout the year.

Following is a summary of cases which have been investigated and arrests which have been made by the Department during 1963:

Investigations

Assault	6
Assault with intent to kill	2
Attempted Suicide	1
Breaking and Entering	18
Breaking, Entering and Larceny	57
Larceny	55
Malicious Damage to Property	15
Missing Persons	13
Sex Crimes	3
Stolen Cars	7
Miscellaneous	130
Robbery	3

Sudden Deaths		
Accidental Shooting	1	
Drowning	4	
Exposure	1	
Fatal Accident	4	
Natural Causes	9	
Suicide	9	
		28
Patients to State Hospital		7
Minors to Industrial School		10
Juvenile Respondents		27

Arrests Made	
Assault with intent to kill	2
Aggravated Assault	2
Assault	3
Bastardy	1
Breaking and Entering	1
Breaking and Entering with Intent	2
Breaking, Entering and Larceny	17
Contempt	38
Contributing to Delinquency	1
Counterfeit checks	3
Delinquent	3
Disorderly person	1
Disturbing the Peace	1
Drunk and Disorderly	6
Escape	1
Forgery	1
For Other Counties and States	9
Larceny	8
Larceny of Auto	6
Larceny by Check	1
Mittimus	1
Non Support	3
Procuring Liquor for Minors	2
Receiving Stolen Property	1
Robbery	3
Sex Crimes	3
Taking Car Without Authority	3
Unemployment Violation	8
Vagabond	3

The following is an Account of Expenses for Superior Court Sessions for 1963.

January Term

Sheriff Frank W. Walker		
Court Attendance		
80 days @ $15.00	$1,200 00	
Court Attendance		
3 Nights @ $15.00	45 00	
Mileage, 2 mi. per day,		
80 days @ $.20	16 00	
		$1,261 00
Deputy Sheriff Ralph R. Winham		
Court Attendance		
29 Days @ $15.00	$435 00	
Court Attendance		
2—½ days @ $7.50	15 00	
Court Attendance		
3 Nights @ $15.00	45 00	
Mileage, 32 mi. per day,		
32 days @ $3.20	102 40	
One meal per day,		
28 days @ $1.00	28 00	
(3 Days out for Jury Dinner)		
		625 40
Deputy Sheriff George W. Schnyer		
Court Attendance		
26 Days @ $15.00	$390 00	
Court Attendance		
3—½ days @ $7.50	22 50	
Court Attendance		
3 Nights @ $15.00	45 00	
Mileage, 28 mi. per day,		
30 days @ $2.80	84 00	
One meal per day,		
28 days @ $1.00	28 00	
(1 Day out for Jury Dinner)		
		569 50
Deputy Sheriff Ernest L. Goodall		
Court Attendance		
19 Days @ $15.00	$285 00	
Mileage, 42 mi. per day,		
19 Days @ $4.20	79 80	

One meal per day,		
17 Days @ $1.00	17 00	
(2 Days out for Jury Dinner)		
		381 80
Deputy Sheriff Lucien Vigneault		
Court attendance 4 days @ $15.00	$60 00	
Mileage, 36 mi. per day,		
4 Days @ $3.60	14 40	
One meal per day, 4 days @ $1.00	4 00	
		78 40

Special Session August 27, 1963

Sheriff Frank W. Walker		
Court attendance 1 day @ $15.00	$15 00	
Mileage, 2 mi. per day,		
1 day @ $.20	20	
		15 20
Deputy Sheriff George W. Schnyer		
Court attendance 1 day @ $15.00	$15 00	
Mileage, 28 mi. per day,		
1 day @ $2.80	2 80	
One meal per day, 1 day @ $1.00	1 00	
		18 80
Deputy Sheriff Ernest L. Goodall		
Court attendance 1 day @ $15.00	$15 00	
Mileage, 42 mi. per day,		
1 day @ $4.20	4 20	
One meal per day, 1 day @ $1.00	1 00	
		20 20

September Term 1963

Sheriff Frank W. Walker		
Court attendance		
73 days @ $15.00	$1,095 00	
Mileage, 2 mi. per day		
73 days @ $.20	14 60	
		1,109 60

Deputy Sheriff Ralph R. Winham		
Court attendance 29 days @ $15.00	$435 00	
Court attendance 2 nights at $15.00	30 00	
Mileage, 32 mi. per day, 29 days @ $3.20	92 80	
One meal per day, 27 days @ $1.00 (2 days out for Jury dinner)	27 00	
		584 80
Deputy Sheriff George W. Schnyer		
Court attendance 9 days @ $15.00	$135 00	
Court attendance ½ day @ $7.50	7 50	
Mileage, 28 mi. per day, 10 days @ $2.80	28 00	
One meal per day, 9 days @ $1.00	9 00	
		179 50
Deputy Sheriff Ernest L. Goodall		
Court attendance 34 days @ $15.00	$510 00	
Court attendance 2 night @ $15.00	30 00	
Mileage, 42 mi. per day, 34 days @ $4.20	142 80	
One meal per day, 31 days @ $1.00 (3 days out for Jury dinner)	31 00	
		713 80
Deputy Sheriff Lucien Vigneault		
Court attendance 7 days @ $15.00	$105 00	
Mileage, 36 mi. per day, 7 days @ $3.60	25 20	
One meal per day, 7 days @ $1.00	7 00	
		137 20
		$5,695 20

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. WALKER,

Sheriff

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE CHESHIRE COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE

1963

Extension Service Personnel:

Edward V. Comerford, County Agricultural Agent
*Miss Ann E. Johnston, County Home Economist
Marcius R. Butterfield, County 4-H Club Agent
Tudor Richards, County Forester
Clerks: Mrs. Esther I. Smith
Mrs. Beatrice A. Griswold

*Miss Harriet J. Nissen, Hillsborough County Home Economist has assisted in the Home Economics program. Miss Johnston started her employment here August 15.

Combined Total Fiscal Summary 1963

County	$19,274 00
State and Federal	20,875 00
Combined County, State & Federal	$40,149 00

County Budget Summary 1963

Balance on hand January 1, 1963	$4,494 48
Appropriation 1963	18,340 00
Refund on Fire Insurance Premium	3 03
Total County Funds	$22,837 51
Funds expended	19,274 82
Balance on hand January 1, 1964	$3,562 69

Breakdown of 1963 Expenses

Salaries (agent and clerks)	$12,658 60
Travel (agents)	2,464 97
Express, parcel post	7 35
Communication services (tel. & postage)	955 88
Travel (council)	150 24
Janitor service	144 00
Rents	1,538 00
Printing	68 00
Repairs to equipment	55 95

Supplies	474 74
Equipment	480 31
FICA taxes	235 24
Miscellaneous (insurance)	41 54
	$19,274 82

Cheshire County Extension Service Council 1963

CLARENCE P. BEAUREGARD, Marlboro, Chairman
JOYCE C. BARRETT, Keene, Vice Chairman
MILDRED BOHANNON, Keene, Secretary
EDWARD E. BAKER, Marlboro, Treausrer
CLIFFORD D. STEARNS, Hinsdale, County Delegation
RALPH BEMIS, Chesham
G. ALLEN HOLMES, Walpole
DAVID VAN BLARCOM, Jaffrey
LOIS LEACH, Westmoreland
FREELAND YARDLEY, Marlboro
MARY LANE, Stoddard
WILLIAM E. DUSSAULT, Stoddard
ALFRED SAWYER, Jaffrey

FIRE MUTUAL AID SYSTEM

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners and the Voters of Cheshire County:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1963.

It is with a great deal of satisfaction that we note the continuing acceptance of our Dispatch Center as a control point equipped to handle all types of emergencies.

We are aware, however, that our Center is new and many improvements in our operation are planned to enable us to better serve the people of the area.

As part of their daily duties, Our Dispatchers record on log sheets all radio messages. During 1963 we recorded a total of 15,799 fire transmissions and 14,482 police transmissions. Our Association of fifty fire companies now have a radio network of 178 units, the sheriff's and Town Police have 23 units. A considerable increase of police units is expected following Town Meetings.

Our Dispatchers handled approximately 30,000 phone calls during the year. Over 400 calls were handled during one eight hour shift during the dry period on October.

During the year we received 73 calls for assistance at fires, 437 pieces of fire apparatus were dispatched to fulfill these requests. We had 3 requests from adjoining Fire Mutual Aid groups and on one occasion received aid from an adjoining system.

The Dispatch Center is currently handling the fire calls for 26 Departments and sounding the alarms for these Departments with the Radio Tone system. This service is also expected to expand following Town Meetings. This Tone System, installed for those Towns desiring this service, results in a savings in Telephone costs and greatly increases the efficiency of the Control Center to quickly dispatch the nearest equipment plus assisting equipment, if necessary, to the fire scene as the dispatcher receives the initial call, he has the location of the fire and a description of the extent of the fire. Out of County Towns participating in the Tone network are assessed on an equal basis with County Towns and this income is deposited with the County Treasurer.

Working in cooperation with the Meadowood Fire Department, a complete auxiliary Control Center has been equipped at that station. In the event of a failure or breakdown of equipment at the Control Center or at the Mountain Top Transmitters, The Dispatchers will be moved to this auxiliary Center. Duplicate Radio Transmitters, Tone encoders telephone communications have been installed by Meadowood to provide us with this auxiliary center. The radio room is isolated from the apparatus floors and is equipped with auxiliary power and heat.

The County Commissioners purchased a stationwagon through the N.H. Civil Defense Agency surplus for use of the Coordinator at a purchase price of $35.00. This unit has also been equipped with a tone encoder for the sounding of fire alarms to be used during emergencies.

We recently received a Master Alarm Panel for the receipt of alarms activated by sprinklers, malfunction of boilers, valve supervisory, and other supervisory services. Alarm activating devises will be installed in those industries and business establishments desiring this servce as soon as possible. A charge will be made for this supervisory service and all income will be returned to the County to help reduce our appropriation.

We initiated our plans for fire training with a school held at the Meadowood Fire Training area in July, The subject was flammable fluids covering mobile and fixed liquid tank fires. This school was held in cooperation with the Meadowood Fire department and the Major Oil Co's. We are most grateful to the Major Oil people who supplied the instructors, Mr. Miles Woodworth of the N.F.P.A. who directed the school and to Mr. John O'Neil and the Cheshire County Fuel Oil Dealers who donated the props and the fuel consumed.

The year 1963 brought forth the birth of the "TRUMPET" a newsletter which will be published quartely and is mailed to every fireman in the system, Town police, Town officials. This newsletter is a wonderful medium of communication and will carry news items, training aids, and other valuable information. It will be supported by a minimum of advertizing.

A committee has been appointed in cooperation with the N.H. Civil Defense Agency, to study and establish a plan to coordinate all the area emergency services in the event of a natural disaster. This is another field in which our Dispatch Center and Fire Mutual Aid System can play a major part in the protection of the people and property of the area.

The month of October, 1963 produced a near record draught and fire danger period. 128 brush fires were reported, of these four burned a total of 95 acres, the balance of 124 fires were held to an average of .3 acres per fire, a remarkable record. It seems reasonable to believe our Dispatch Center and radio network contributed greatly to the containment of these fires. The savings in buildings and property throughout the year as a result of the Dispatch Center is almost impossible to tabulate, however, it is a certainty that without the center the loss in taxable property would have been a great deal larger.

An expression of gratitude is most certainly due the people who have contributed so much to our progress this year; The County Commissioners and their office staff, Sheriff Frank Walker, Chief Walter Messer, Chief Donald Holbrook, our dispatchers, Mr. Charles Larsen and for the splendid teamwork, spirit and cooperation of all the members of the Fire and Police Departments.

Respectfully submitted,

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